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In re Application of: Noriyuki FUJII

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For: VIDEO DECK, VIDEO DECK CONTROL METHOD AND  
VIDEO DECK CONTROL PROGRAM RECORDING MEDIUM

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicant brings to the attention of the Examiner the document listed on the attached PTO-1449. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits for the above-referenced application.

A copy of the listed document is attached.

The following document is listed on the accompanying PTO-1449 and are in a language other than English:

Japanese Patent Publication No. 62-204457. English abstract is attached.


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Respectfully submitted,  
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